

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SB 377 – HB 1085**

February 19, 2009

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Transfers formal responsibility for school bus inspections from the Department of Education to the Department of Safety (DOS).

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Expenditures – Not significant**

Assumptions:

- Currently the Department of Safety inspects all Class C and Class D school buses. Specifying that DOS inspect these buses within the Code will not impact the department's current operation. Any increase in state expenditures is estimated to be not significant.
- The bill does not increase the maximum number of years that a school bus is permitted to be in operation.

**CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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